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**REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION OR DIVISION OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION**

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This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior international application Number PCT US02 / 04353, filed on 02.14.02 entitled MONO-DIAMETER WELLBORE CASING

which designated the United States.

Note: 37 CFR 1.53(d) cannot be used to file a continuation or divisional application of an international application which has not entered the national stage.

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	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	39 - 20 =	19	x \$18.00 =	\$ 342.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	13 - 3 =	10	x \$84.00 =	840.00
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				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	+ 710.00
				Total of above Calculations =	
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				Total =	1,892.00

1. Enclosed are the specification, claims and drawing(s).

2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1394. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

4. ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 1,892.00 is enclosed.

5. ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

6. ☒ Application Data Sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.

7. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a ☒ continuation ☐ division of international application number PCT US02 / 04353, filed February 14, 2002 (status, abandoned, pending, etc.)."

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8. ☒ A declaration under 37 CFR 1.63 is enclosed.
9. ☐ Priority of foreign application number \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).
- ☐ The certified copy is enclosed.
10. ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
11. ☒ Also enclosed: Return Postcard

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- ☐ Inventor(s)/Applicant(s)
- ☐ Assignee of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- ☐ Attorney or agent of record
- ☒ Filed under 37 CFR 1.34(a)  
 Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 40,298

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below\*.

☐ \*Total of \_\_\_\_\_ forms are submitted.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No.: United States National Phase of PCT/US02/04353 I. A. Filing Date: 14 February 2002  
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I hereby certify that the following attached papers and fee:

1. Request for filing a Continuation or Division of an International Application;
2. U.S. National Phase Application (41 pages including specification, claims & abstract);
3. Drawings (29 sheets);
4. WO02/066783 including International Search Report
5. Unexecuted Inventor's Declaration for Patent Application;
6. Application Data Sheet;
7. Check in the amount of \$ 1,892.00; and
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